--- 1/4th Pound - “Series of 1915” - 290 x 20 mm. - scanned at 55% scale ---

The catalogue lists the 290 x 20 mm. black, 1/4th pound “Series of 1915” strip as follows:

RP-783 - 1/4th pound, coarse roulette, with ***4½ mm. violet control numbers***
RP-784 - 1/4th pound, coarse roulette, with ***4½ mm. blue control numbers***

--- RP-783 - *coarse roulette* - *4½ mm. violet controls* - on wove paper with a distinct *horizontal* mesh ---

The collection ***does not contain*** a *dated* copy of **RP-783** - the *coarse roulette* 1/4th pound “Series of 1915” with ***violet controls***.

RP-783a - 1/4th pound, *imperforate*, control **0000000**, with seven ***purple*** zeroes in the panels

RP-783 - 1/4th pound, *coarse roulette*, control **2256999**, with an unreadable blue roller cancellation

0000000 ★	1915	RP-783a	1/4th pound, *imperforate*, with seven zeroes in the panels
2256999 ★		RP-783	1/4th pound, *coarse roulette*, an unreadable blue roller cancel

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In a memorandum to *D. Sims, Esq.* (Deputy Minister of National Revenue, Customs and Excise, Ottawa) dated June 14th 1944, *L. A. White* and *C.R. Coombs* record the destruction of the ABN “Series of 1915” one-quarter pound roll No. G-1330 for the 290 x 20 mm strip

In a similar memorandum, dated June 8th 1944, they record the destruction of plates No. 1, 2, 3 and 4 for the one-quarter pound “Series of 1915” tobacco strip. The plates were defaced, and subsequently delivered to the Royal Canadian Mint to be recycled.

The 40 impression plates were probably arranged as 2 by (1 x 20) strips - JBH

In a memorandum to *D. Sims, Esq.* (Deputy Minister of National Revenue, Customs and Excise) dated June 14th 1944, *L. A. White* and *C.R. Coombs* record the destruction of the ABN die [F-42] for the 290 x 20 mm. one-quarter pound “Series of 1915” tobacco strip. The defaced rolls and die were delivered to the “Hull Iron and Steel Works” as scrap metal.

The information in these paragraphs is taken from information supplied by Chris Ryan

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--- RP-784 - *coarse roulette* - *4½ mm. blue controls* - on wove paper with an *indistinct* horizontal mesh ---

RP-784 - 1/4th pound, *coarse roulette*, control **2840523**, stamped ***Sample*** in the cancellation panel

RP-784 - 1/4th pound, *coarse roulette*, controls **3250026-27**
Stamped National Revenue Canada / JAN 30 1937 / GODERICH, ONT.

2840523 ★	1923	RP-784	1/4th pound, coarse roulette, stamped ***Sample*** in cancellation panel
2969443		RP-784	1/4th pound, coarse roulette, with an unreadable roller
3250026-27 ★	01/37	RP-784	1/4th pound, coarse roulette, a pair, stamped **GODERICH, ONT.**
4755454		RP-784	1/4th pound, coarse roulette, with an unreadable roller
5918727 ★		RP-784	1/4th pound, coarse roulette, roller cancelled **1 - 24 - E**
6018621 ★		RP-784	1/4th pound, coarse roulette, with an unreadable violet roller

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--- There was no 1/4th pound denomination in either Series “A” or Series “B” ---

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